

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
283-01

In Re Application Of: Fabrice Luty, et al

Serial No.  
10/001,479

Filing Date  
November 1, 2001

Examiner  
Carlos Lugo

Group Art Unit  
3676

Invention: LATCHING DEVICE

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of March 16, 2004 above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):


☐ One month    ☒ Two months    ☐ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: March 16, 2004  
*Date*

until: May 16, 2004  
*Date*

The fee for the extension of time is \$420 and is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.  
☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 16-0750  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.  
☐ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 16-0750  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

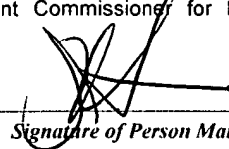
  
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Dated:

5/10/04

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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on 5-10-04 with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

  
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